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For: ADDITIVE COMPOSITION FOR ORGANIC POLYMERS AND ITS USE

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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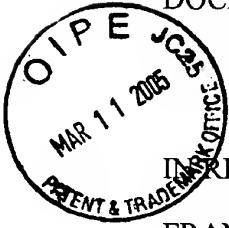
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Responsive to the Official Action mailed June 3, 2004, please amend the subject application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.